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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Michael B. Ronci

Serial No.:

09/768,560

Filed:

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For:

Temperature Indicating Beverage Cup

Group Art Unit:

2859

Examiner:

Verbitsky, G.

## ARGUMENTS IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 11/09, 2006, please accept the following amendment and arguments in support of the application.